

| <b>Statement</b>                   |   |  |
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| S.No.                              | Name of the Scheme  | Budget Allocation<br>for 1997-98<br>(Rupees in Crores) |
| 1                                  | 2   | 3  |
| <b>WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES</b> |   |  |
| 1.                                 | Aid to "Voluntary Organisations for the Welfare of Scheduled Castes.                                  | 20.00  |
| 2.                                 | Special Central Assistance to Special Component plan  | 326.60   |
| 3.                                 | Post Matric Scholarship   | 65.00  |
| 4.                                 | PCR and Atrocities  | 15.50  |
| 5.                                 | Girls Hostels   | 8.00   |
| 6.                                 | National Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation (NSFDC).           | 96.00  |
| 7.                                 | Scheduled Caste Development Corporation (SCDC).   | 45.00  |
| 8.                                 | National Safai Karmacharis Finance and Development Corporation (NSKFDC).                              | 10.00  |
| 9.                                 | Book Banks  | 3.60   |
| 10.                                | Boys' Hostels   | 11.00  |
| 11.                                | Liberation & Rehabilitation of Scavengers   | 120.00   |
| 12.                                | Pre-Matric Scholarship  | 2.00   |
| 13.                                | Interest Subsidy to NSFDC   | --   |
| 14.                                | Coaching and Allied   | 3.00   |
| 15.                                | Supporting Project of All India nature of SCs   | 0.50   |
| 16.                                | Special Educational Development Programme   | 3.80   |
| 17.                                | Upgradation of merit of SC/ST students  | 1.00   |
| 18.                                | Ambedkar Foundation   | 40.00  |
| <b>WELFARE OF THE HANDICAPPED</b>  |   |  |
| 1.                                 | Scheme of assistance to disabled persons for purchase/fitting of aids and appliances                  | 15.00  |
| 2.                                 | Scheme of Assistance to Voluntary Organisations for Rehabilitation of leprosy cured persons           | 1.50   |
| 3.                                 | Scheme of Assistance to Voluntary Organisations for the Disabled.                                     | 23.70  |
| 4.                                 | Scheme of Assistance to Voluntary Organisations for Establishment and Development of Special Schools. | 2.50   |

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| 5.                                 | Scheme of Assistance to Voluntary Organisations for Persons with Cerebral Palsy and Mental Retardation. | 1.00  |
| 6.                                 | Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Employment of the Handicapped   | 0.20  |
| <b>SOCIAL DEFENCE SERVICES</b>     |   |       |
| 1.                                 | Welfare of the Aged   | 12.50 |
| 2.                                 | Welfare of the Street Children  | 6.00  |
| 3.                                 | Beggary Prevention  | 0.55  |
| 4.                                 | Prevention and Control of Juvenile Social mal adjustment  | 2.000 |
| 5.                                 | Organisation Assistance to Voluntary Social Welfare Organisation  | 0.12  |
| 6.                                 | Scheme for Prohibition and Drug Abuse Prevention  | 17.50 |
| 7.                                 | Assistance to Homes (Shishu Greh)   | 1.00  |
| <b>WELFARE OF MINORITIES</b>       |   |       |
| 1.                                 | Pre Examination Coaching Scheme for Weaker Sections based on economic criteria.                         | 2.50  |
| 2.                                 | National Minorities Development and Finance Corporation.  | 41.00 |
| <b>WELFARE OF BACKWARD CLASSES</b> |   |       |
| 1.                                 | National Backward Class Finance and Development Corporation   | 47.00 |

[Translation]

**Awards to Agriculture Scientists**

2134. SHRI JAI SINGH CHAUHAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether agriculture awards have been announced so as to encourage the young scientists;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of scientists proposed to be given awards and the amount to be given under these awards, award-wise ;

(d) the names of agriculture scientists who would be given awards for 1996 ;

(e) the details of awards to be given by the Indian Council for Agricultural Research in addition to these awards; and

(f) the criteria prescribed for the selection to confer these awards?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A total of 54 ICAR Awards were given away on 16th July, 1997 under the following 8 different categories :

- (i) Best Institution Awards, 1996
- (ii) Vasantrao Naik Award for reasearch application in Agriculture, 1996
- (iii) Jawaharlal Nehru Awards for Outstanding Post-graduate Agricultural research, 1996
- (iv) Outstanding Woman Agricultural Scientist Award, 1996
- (v) Hari Om Ashram Trust Award, 1995-96
- (vi) ICAR Awards for team Research 1996
- (vii) ICAR Young Scientists Awards for Agricultural Research, 1995-96
- (viii) Dr. Rajendra Prasad Puraskar For Technical Books in Hindi in the field of Agriculture and Allied subjects 1994-96.

(c) The number of scientists and the prize money are as under :

- (i) Best Institution Awards, 1996  
Prize amount : Rs. 1 lakh each  
  
No. of Institutions : 3
- (ii) Vasant Rao Naik Award for Research Application in Agriculture, 1996  
  
Prize amount : Rs. 1 lakh  
  
No. of Scientists : 1
- (iii) Jawahar Lai Nehru Award for Outstanding Post Graduate-Agriculture Research, 96  
Prize amount : Rs. 10,000/- each  
No. of Scientists : 19

(iv) Outstanding Women Agricultural Scientist Award, 1996.

Prize Amount : Rs. 25,000/- each  
No. of Scientists : 2

(v) Hari Om Ashram Trust Awards, 95  
Prize amount : Rs. 20,000/- each  
No. of Scientists : 5 (7 associates)

(vi) ICAR Awards for Team Research, 1994-96  
Prize amount : Rs. 50,000/- each  
No. of Scientists : 8 (60 associates)

(vii) ICAR Yong Scientists Awards for Agricultural Research, 1996-97  
Prize amount : Rs 10,000/- each.  
No. of Scientists : 7

(viii) Dr. Rajendra Prasad Puraskar for Technical Books in Hindi in the field of agriculture and allied subjects, 1994-96  
Prize amount : Rs. 20,000/-each  
No. of awardees : 9 (7 associates)

Total No. of awardees : 128 including 74 associates).

(d) List is given the attached Statement.

(e) The details of awards to be given by the Indian Council for Agricultural Research in addition to these awards are as under :

- (i) Rafi Ahmed Kidwai Memorial Award for Agricultural Research- Once in three years  
No. of awards-9  
Prize money : Rs. 1 lakh  
No. of categories : 7
- (ii) Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed Awards for Outstanding Agricultural Research in Tribal Areas--once in two years  
No. of awards : 2  
Prize money : Rs. 50,000/-  
No. of Categories -2
- (iii) Best KVK (Krishi Vigyan Kendra) Awards--once in two years.  
No. of awards :2  
Prize Money :. Rs. 50,000/-
- (iv) Outstanding Extension Scientists Worker Awards- Once in three years  
No. of awards : 4  
Prize Money : Rs. 10,000/-
- (v) ICAR Awards for Outstanding teachers--once in two years.  
No. of awards : 8  
Prize money : Rs. 20,000/-  
No. of Categories : 7

(f) The criteria prescribed for the selection to confer these awards are different for different awards. For example, the criteria for the Best Institution Award is as follows :

- (i) All the Institutions under the ICAR system including State Agricultural Universities are eligible.
- (ii) Outstanding contribution of applied and basic Significance anyone or more disciplines as evidenced by research output, patents obtained and technologies developed and extent of their adoption.
- (iii) Economic Impact in terms of production growth, import substitution, export promotion and industrialisation.
- (iv) Achievements towards food and nutrition security.
- (v) Achievements towards ecological security leading to natural resources protection.
- (vi) Accomplishments in human resource development.
- (vii) Innovations introduced in research training and Education as well as development of Inter Institutional linkages.
- (viii) Generation of additional funds from sources outside the ICAR/SAU system.
- (ix) Knowledge generated and disseminated.

#### **Statement**

#### *List of Awardees*

#### 1. BEST INSTITUTION AWARD, 1996

|   | No. of Awards | Awardee  |
|---|---------------|--|
| a. State Agricultural University                    | 1             | CCS HAU, Hisar   |
| b. National Institute & NRC/<br>Project Directorate | 2             | (i)CIFA, Bhuba-<br>neshwar<br>(ii) Dte. of Rice<br>Research<br>Hyderabad |

#### 2. VASANTRAO NAIK AWARD FOR RESEARCH APPLICATIONS IN AGRICULTURE, 1996.

Dr. S. D. Ugale

#### 3. JAWAHARLAL NEHRU AWARD, 1996

| Subject Groups                                  | No. of Awards | Final recommendation   |
|---|---------------|--|
| 1. Crop Sciences                                | 2             | (i) Dr. A.K.Sarial   |
| Crops Improvement                               |               | IARI, New Delhi.<br>(ii) Dr. A.K. Chhabra<br>CCS HAU, Hisar<br>& Dr. (Mrs.) S.K.<br>Sharma CPRS,<br>Jalandhar, Joint<br>Award                                  |
| 2. Crop Protection                              | 2             | (i) Dr. P.B. Mohite<br>TNAU, Coimbatore  |
| Microbiology                                    |               | (ii)Dr. (Mrs.) H.K.<br>Jyothi<br>KSSRDI, Bangalore<br>&<br>Dr. M. Kochu Babu<br>CPCRI, Kasaragod   |
| 3. Soil Science and                             | 2             | (i) Dr. S.B. Gupta<br>IGAU, Raipur.  |
| Natural Resource<br>Management & Agronomy       |               | (ii)Dr. D. Burman<br>IGFRI, Jhansi   |
| 4. Horticulture                                 | 2             | (i) Dr. (Mrs.) P.A.<br>Valsala<br>KAU, Vellanikkara  |
|   |               | (ii)Dr. T.N. Balamohan<br>KVK, Tiruchirapalli  |
| 5. Engineering and                              | 2             | (i) Dr. C.D. Durairaj<br>TNAU, Coimbatore  |
| Tech (Dairy Food and<br>Post Harvest Tech. etc) |               | (ii)Dr. D.K. Das<br>OUAT, Bhubaneswar  |
| 6. Animal Production<br>and Veterinary          | 3             | (i) Dr. Parimal Roy<br>TNV & ASU,<br>Madras  |
| Sciences  |               | (ii)Dr. J. Sahoo<br>CCS HAU, Hisar<br>(iii)Dr. N.H. Kelawala<br>Gau, Anand   |
| 7. Fisheries                                    | 1             | (i) Dr. C.M.K. Nair<br>KAU, Kochi  |
| 8. Social Sciences<br>Including Home<br>Science | 2             | (i) Dr. D.V.Subba Rao<br>Delhi Univ, Delhi.<br>(ii)Dr. S.<br>Somasundaram<br>TNAU, Triuchirapalli<br>&<br>Dr. (Mrs) K. Aruna<br>APAU, Hyderabad<br>Joint Award |

#### 4. OUTSTANDING WOMEN AGRIL. SCIENTIST AWARD, 1996

| S. No. | Candidate(s)                                |             |
|--------|---|-------------|
| 1.     | Dr. Prem Dureja, IARI, Pusa                 | Joint Award |
| 2.     | Dr. Swarn Lata Arya, CSWCR & TI, Chandigarh |             |

#### 5. HARI OM ASHRAM TRUST AWARDS, 1995-96 AWARD WINNERS

|                        | No. of Awards | Awardees  |
|------------------------|---------------|---|
| 1. Crop Science        | 1             | (i) Dr. S. Kannaiyan  |
| 2. Horticulture        | 1             | (ii) Dr. V.S. Korikanthimath<br>Dr. M.N. Venugopal<br>Dr. Rajendra Hegde<br>Dr. Ravindra Mulge                      |
| 3. Resource Management | 1             | (iii) Dr. D. Rama Rao<br>Sh. U. Muralidhar  |
| 4. Animal Science      | 1             | (iv) Dr. Amresh Kumar &<br>(v) Dr. S.K. Dwivedi Joint Award<br>Dr. M.C. Sharma<br>Dr. D. Swarup<br>Dr. S. R. Sharma |

#### 6. ICAR TEAM AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING MULTI-DISCIPLINARY RESEARCH IN AGRICULTURE AND ALLIED SCIENCES FOR 1994-96

##### *Crop Improvement*

1. Dr. H.S. Gupta – Team Leader  
 Mr. A.C. Sharma                      Dr. V. Mahajan  
 Mrs. S. Sardana                      Sh. A. Pattanayak  
 Dr. B.K. Sarma                      Ms. B. Bhattacharjee  
 Dr. D.K. Pandey

##### *Crop Improvement*

2. Dr. Mohammad Yunus--Team Leader  
 Dr. R.B. Srivastava                      Sh. R.S. Lamba  
 Dr. B. Yadav                      Dr. S. Acharya  
 Dr. A. S. Redhu                      Dr. M.L. Saini  
 Dr. S.R. Verma                      Dr. P.K. Verma  
 Dr. S.K. Sethi                      Sh. Y.P. Solanki  
 Dr. R.P. Singh                      Dr. M.S. Beniwal  
 Dr. I.S. Pawar                      Dr. S.S. Karwasra

Dr. S.C. Sharma

Dr. I. Singh

Dr. R.K. Rana

Dr. S.S. Dhanda

Dr. V.P. Singh

Dr. S.S. Grakh

Dr. B. Ram

Sh. A. Gupta

Dr. (Mrs) Shashi Madan

Dr. B.D. Sharma

Dr. R.K. Nanwal

Dr. D. Singh

##### *Natural Resource Management*

3. Dr. J.S. Samra--Team Leader

Sh. S.P. Mittal

Dr. Y. Agnihotri

Sh. R.C. Bansal

Dr. (Mrs) Swarn Lata Arya

##### *Engineering & Technology*

4. Dr. Mathew George--Team Leader

Dr. (Mrs) G. Padmaja

Dr. S.N. Moorthy

Dr. S.K. Nanda

Dr. P. Rajamma

##### *Horticulture Sciences*

5. Dr. P.N. Ravindran--Team Leader

Mr. K. Nirmal Babu

Dr. (Mrs) J. Rema

Dr. B. Sasikumar

Mr. K. Samsudeen

Miss Minoo Divakaran

Ms. Geetha S. Pillai

Miss Sajina A.

Ms. Mini P. Mathai

Mr. John C. Zachariah

Mrs. Manjula C.

##### *Fisheries*

6. Dr. Niranjana Sarangi--Team Leader

Shri S.D. Roy

Shri R. Soundararajan

Shri. K. Dorairaj

Dr. S. Michael Raj

##### *Animal Production*

7. Dr. S.M. Totey--Team Leader

Dr. K.B.C. Appa Rao

Dr. M. Taneja

##### *Animal Nutrition*

8. Prof. K. Pradhan--Team Leader

Dr. S.K. Bhatia

Dr. (Mrs) Sadhana Singh

Dr. S. Singh

## 7. ICAR YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD, 1995-96

| S. No. | Group   | No. of Awards | Name of awardees   |
|--------|---|---------------|--|
| 1.     | Crop Science<br>(Crop improvement & protection) | 2             | (i) Dr. H.K. Chaudhary<br>HPKV, Palampur<br>(ii) Dr. S. Mohan Kumar<br>TNAU, Coimbatore. |
| 2.     | Soil Science, Agronomy<br>and Agroforestry      | 2             | (i) Dr. Rajendra Hegde<br>IISR, Madikori<br>(ii) Nil                                     |
| 3.     | Horticultural Science                           | 1             | (i) Dr. Debabrata Sarkar<br>CPRI, Simla  |
| 4.     | Engineering                                     | 1             | (i) Dr. Rajendra Singh<br>IIT, Kharagpur   |
| 5.     | Animal Science                                  | 2             | (i) Dr. Naba K. Praharaj<br>Project Dte. on Poultry,<br>Rajendranagar<br>(ii) Nil        |
| 6.     | Fisheries & Aquatic<br>life science             | 1             | Nil  |
| 7.     | Social Science & Home<br>Science                | 1             | (i) Dr. P.S. Bithal<br>National Centre for Agril Eco &<br>Policy Research, Pusa          |

## 8. DR. RAJENDRA PRASAD PURASKAR 1994-96

| S.No. | Category          | No. of Awards | Candidates  |
|-------|-------------------|---------------|---|
| 1.    | Crop Science      | 1             | (i) Dr. Ram Asrae Singh &<br>Dr. Jagdish Chandra Bhatt<br>(ii) Hari Shankar Singh |
| 2.    | Soil & Agronomy   | 1             | (i) Dr. Krishna Kant Vyas<br>Dr. Sukhpal Chand Bhandari<br>Dr. Shiv Dayal Singh   |
| 3.    | Horticulture      | 1             | (i) Nempal Singh<br>Pramod Joshi  |
| 4.    | Engineering       | 1             | (i) Dr. R.P. Kachru<br>Dr. Prabhat Kumar Srivastava                               |
| 5.    | Animal Health     | 1             | (i) Dr. Brij Bhusan Bhatia<br>Dr. Prem Pratap Singh Chauhan                       |
| 6.    | Animal Production | 1             | (i) Dr. V.D. Mudgal<br>Dr. K.K. Singhal   |
| 7.    | Fisheries         | 1             | (i) Dr. (Mrs) Kiran Dubey   |
| 8.    | Social Science    | 1             | (i) Dr. Vijay Pal Singh Arora   |